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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant(s):	PLATA-SALAMAN, et al.	Confirmation No.:	4508
Application No.:	10/797,795	Group Art:	1614
Filing Date:	March 10, 2004	Examiner:	Amy A. Lewis
Title:	CARBAMATE COMPOUNDS FOR USE IN PREVENTING OR TREATING NEURODEGENERATIVE DISORDERS		

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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 21, 2009, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.